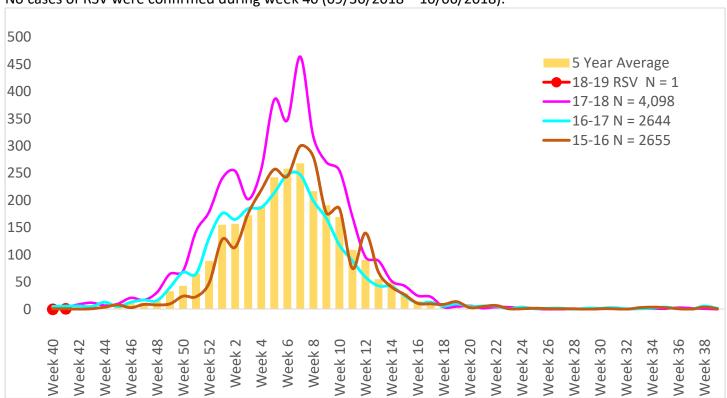


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Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)

The 2019-2019 RSV season starts on 9/30/2018 (week 40 of 2018) and continues through 9/28/2019 (week 39 of 2019). Through week 41 (10/07/2018 - 10/13/2018), **1** RSV case has been laboratory confirmed in Maricopa County.

No cases of RSV were confirmed during week 40 (09/30/2018 - 10/06/2018).



	Cumulative Season Total	Current Week Total
2018-2019	1	1
2017-2018	7	4
5 Season Average (2013-2018)	6	3
% change compared to 2017-2018 season	-86%	-75%
% change compared to 5 season average	-83%	-67%
% change compared to last week	N/A*	N/A*

^{*} No cases of RSV were confirmed during the prior week (week 40).



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Those less than one year of age are usually most affected by RSV.

Age Group	Cases	Cases per 100,000 population
Age <1	0	0
Age 1 - 4	0	0
Age 5 - 17	0	0
Age 18 - 64	0	0
Age 65 +	1	0

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Local Outpatient Facilities and Medical Directors

Maricopa County Public Schools

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Information on influenza activity for the state, the U.S. and the world may be found at the following websites:

http://www.azdhs.gov/phs/oids/epi/flu/index.htm (ADHS)
https://www.cdc.gov/flu/weekly/fluactivitysurv.htm (CDC)
http://www.who.int/influenza/gisrs laboratory/updates/en/index.html (WHO)